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FOREIGN.

[Reports received from United States consuls through the Department of State and from other sources.]

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox as reported to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, June 30, 1899, to July 21, 1899.

[For reports received from January 1 to June 30, 1899, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for June 30.]

CHOLERA.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
India:				
Bombay.....	June 6-June 13...		1	
Calcutta.....	May 13-June 3...		69	
Madras.....	May 20-June 9...	0	9	

YELLOW FEVER.

Argentina:				
Buenos Ayres.....	Apr. 1-Apr. 30...		4	
Brazil:				
Bahia.....	June 3-June 17...	70	36	
Rio de Janeiro.....	May 19-June 9...		29	
St. Felix.....	June 7.....			Reported present.
Colombia:				
Barranquilla.....	June 10-June 24...	2	2	
Panama.....	June 16-July 3...	15	6	
Cuba:				
Havana.....	June 15-July 6...	8	1	
Matanzas.....	June 17-June 24...	1		Doubtful.
Santiago.....	June 10-July 10...	148	28	
Mexico:				
Cordoba.....	June 21.....	23	14	
Merida.....	July 1.....	1		
Vera Cruz.....	June 15-July 6...		59	

PLAGUE.

China:				
Hongkong.....	May 6-May 27...	319	273	
Egypt:				
Alexandria.....	May 22-June 23...	30	15	
India:				
Bombay.....	May 27-June 13...		119	
Calcutta.....	May 13-June 3...		96	
Japan:				
Tamsui, Formosa.....	Apr. 26-May 24...	478	312	
Mauritius.....	May 4-May 31...	1	5	
Straits Settlements:				
Penang.....	Jan. 4-June 2...	10	7	
Singapore.....	May 27-June 3...	0	2	

SMALLPOX.

Argentina:				
Bueno Ayres.....	Apr. 1-Apr. 30...		1	
Austria:				
Budapest.....	June 16-June 24...	2		
Belgium:				
Antwerp.....	June 10-June 24...	4	1	
Ghent.....	June 23-July 1...		1	
Brazil:				
Bahia.....	June 3-June 17...	1		
Rio de Janeiro.....	May 19 June 9...	77	45	
Espiriti Sancti.....	June 7.....			Reported present.
China:				
Hongkong.....	May 6-May 13...	1	1	
Cuba:				
Havana.....	June 30-July 6...	5	1	

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.

SMALLPOX—Continued.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Egypt:				
Cairo	May 20-June 17...	0	8	
England:				
Liverpool	June 10-June 17...		1	
London	June 10-July 1...	4	0	
France:				
Marseilles	June 25-July 2...	1		
Gibraltar	June 4-June 21...	1		
Greece:				
Athens	June 10-July 1...	55	8	
Mexico:				
City of Mexico	June 4-July 9...	40	30	
Nuevo Laredo	July 1-July 8...	0	2	
India:				
Bombay	May 27-June 13...		8	
Calcutta	May 13-May 27...		1	
Madras	May 20-June 2...		4	
Russia:				
Moscow	May 27-June 10...	45	18	
Odessa	June 10-June 24...	7	3	
St. Petersburg	June 3-June 24...	46	14	
Warsaw	June 3-June 10...		1	
Scotland:				
Glasgow	June 3-June 17...	1	1	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	Apr. 1-Apr. 30...		13	
Turkey:				
Symrna	May 27-June 18...		3	

EPIDEMIC NOTES.

[Translated in this Bureau from the Veröffentlichungen des Kaiserlichen Gesundheitsamtes, Berlin, June 21, 1899.]

PLAGUE.

BRITISH INDIA.—During the week ended May 20 the epidemic of plague considerably abated. The deaths from plague reported throughout the country number 953. This number is less than that of any of the previous weeks since July 30 of last year. In the city of Bombay the plague deaths were 221, as against 323 in the preceding week, and in the presidency of Bombay the mortality fell from 587 to 560 during the same period. In Kurrachee the decrease was from 171 to 96; in Calcutta, from 60 to 23, and in the Kolor gold district, from 32 to 24. During the week ended May 27 the deaths were as follows: City of Bombay, 147; presidency of Bombay, 397; Kurrachee, 17. In Calcutta an increase from 23 to 39 was noted. In the Punjab, in the Jullunder district, 10, and in Hoshiapur district 17 cases were reported.

CHINA—Hongkong.—Since the outbreak of the epidemic 268 cases and 232 deaths have been officially reported.

Swatow.—Advices of May 15 state that plague has again broken out.

PERSIA.—According to advices of June 7, a case of plague has appeared at Bender-Bushir.

EGYPT—Alexandria.—From June 11 to 16 there have been 10 plague cases and 3 deaths; since the outbreak of the plague, 32 and 10, respectively. With the exception of 2 Frenchmen, the nationality of the Europeans attacked is Greek.

Mauritius.—On June 6 another plague case came under medical treatment.